

# The Memphis Democrat



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## COUNTY FARMERS' UNION ANNUAL MEETING

MEMBERS OF HALL WILL HOLD GENERAL MEETING HERE SATURDAY NEXT WEEK.

## PROGRAM PROMISED

Minimum Price for Cotton and Seed.

This session each year the men throughout Hall a general get-together which matters pertaining of the order are discussing is called to be a next Saturday week.

Now nine local unions in all live and working, we the total membership in at a considerable portion engaged in farming in this

meeting will, in large part, be devoted to statements showing the advantages that farmers in have enjoyed and acquired of organization and of the best methods to derive benefits through future order.

Other matters of special interest will be discussed at this be the proposed action of government to fix a regulate the methods of producing.

For the discussion of the matter will be held at Dallas which representatives of the county will attend, and the delegates will be heard on. The matter of fixing the price of cotton will be taken up at both

on for the meeting following: Opening and Closing, Resolutions of the Union, Report on Legislation, J. L. McCollum, Estelline, Memphis.

of the Union Has Done for the Country," Jack Owens, Lodge, on the Lodge Local Has Done for the Country," J. C. Maloney, Memphis.

at Estelline Has Done for the Country," J. W. Butler, Estelline, Memphis.

at I should do as a "Crew of My Obligation," Memphis.

Business: Discussion, Place of next meeting.

of the Weaver Club.

Weaver Club after a three months, held their of the new year with on Thursday Sept. 13 members present.

It was answered with of Mrs. Sedgewick the club regrets very her as a member.

on dress reform high school pupils were by endorsed by all present. "Red Cross" subject was live to the club meeting with "Red Cross," but as made. It will be at meeting, as we feel help in this work.

freshments were served. The Club will meet in Webster, September 22.

Press Reporter.

## MEMPHIS HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Items of Interest, Happenings and Personals, at the Memphis High School.

The school work in general has been running very smoothly.

A number of pupils from other parts of the county have enrolled in the High School for the coming term.

Games for the boys have been discussed briefly but nothing definite has as yet, been decided upon.

The general science and the eleventh grade Latin and English classes are working hard to get affiliated units in their respective subjects.

A girl's basket-ball team will be organized in the near future. They will endeavor to put on the same high-class performances as have Memphis High teams of the past.

No football teams are to be allowed in the school this year.

All the small boys spend their play periods with the game "Bunty-Go-Spat."

Senior class met Friday afternoon, September 14, for the purpose of organizing. Jesse Foster was elected president; Delbert Elliott, vice-president; Tess Alexander, secretary; Marvin B. Norwood, treasurer.

Sam Corsey and "Big" Burnett had a very exciting game of "rap-jacket," this game is of the order that would be considered as exceedingly strenuous by most people, but the boys say they enjoy it.

## Reducing Fire Losses

Preventable fire is more than a private misfortune. It is a public dereliction. At a time like this of emergency and of manifest necessity for the conservation of national resources, it is more than ever a matter of deep and pressing consequence that every means should be taken to prevent this evil.—Woodrow Wilson.

Our losses from fires that could be prevented amount to millions every year. This is waste that the people of this country can ill-afford to sustain. Every dollar's worth of wealth destroyed means a dollar less for the people who are to sustain a war to defend their homes.

While we hear of destruction of homes and other property in cities and towns and are often appalled at its magnitude, it is a fact that many millions of dollars in homes, barns, crops and livestock are consumed in preventable fires on farms every year. Farmers have very poor facilities for controlling fires as a rule. Without water under pressure it is a very difficult matter to protect the farm buildings in case fire starts from an accident unavoidable. For this reason the greatest possible precaution should be taken to prevent fires.

The practice of erecting fireproof buildings and using materials more nearly fireproof is a wise and economical plan. The first cost of such structures may be more, but in general the ultimate cost will be less and the insurance such buildings afford will be worth having.—Farm and Ranch.

## The Kaiser's Prayer.

O, Gott, vill you be mine partner.  
You don't know who I am;  
I am der German Kaiser,  
Der Emperor Will-I-yam.  
You know I whipped the Belgians,  
And mit bullets filled Russia full,  
And I'll vip France and Italy,  
And blow up Johnny Bull.  
Now for all other nations  
I don't care a tam,  
If you'll just be my partner  
And whip dot Uncle Sam.  
You know I got der submarines,  
All Europe knows dat wel.  
But dot Edilson's got a patent now  
Dot blows dem all to hell.  
Now, Gott, if you will do dis,  
Den you I vill always love,  
And I vill be Emperor on earth,  
And you der Emperor above.  
But Gott if you refuse, me dis,  
Tomorrow night at seven,  
I vill call my Zepellins out  
And declare war on Heaven,  
I couldn't ask dis from you,  
But it is now plainly seen,  
Dot if Edilson pushes de button,  
It's to hell mit de submarine.  
—Unknown

Misses Rebecca and Myrtle Wrenn of Lakeview, were here shopping Monday afternoon.

Tom Wilson left Tuesday for San Antonio.  
FOR SALE—Or trade good second hand buggy and harness. Will trade for good cow, J. F. Forkner. 13-1.

## DISMISSED FACULTY MEMBERS REINSTATED

New Board of University Regents Undo Work of Old Board Invite Battle Back

Austin, Texas, Sept. 14.—At today's called session of the board of regents of the University of Texas the dismissed, members of the faculty were reinstated, with one exception. Other actions taken to undo that which former board had done, and an address issued to the people of Texas giving assurance that the University has a complete faculty, that the regents have every confidence in the faculty, and that the institution has adequate financial support for the next two years. The address promises a constructive program to attain a University of the first class, and terminates with a plea for parents to send their children to school to get its many advantages. The address is signed by seven members of the board of regents present today. This was the first meeting of the board as now constituted.

A resolution signed by Messrs. Brents and Cook effected the reinstatement of the six professors discharged at the meeting of the regents at Galveston on July 12. They are W. T. Mather, head of the physics department; A. Caswell Ellis, professor of education; John G. Lomax, secretary of the faculty; Will H. Mayes, dean of the school of journalism; George C. Butte and R. E. Coffey, professors in the law department. Professor L. M. Keady, professor of institutional history, who was dismissed at the Galveston meeting by unanimous vote of the regents because of alleged activities in the peace league, was not reinstated to day.

The resolution also invited former Dean Dr. J. W. Battle to return to the University of Texas and restored the salaries in the school of home economics, which had been reduced 20 per cent at the July meeting.

The entire budget recommended to the board at the Galveston meeting in July was adopted, including student assistants and the increases in a number of salaries. This was the budget prepared by President Vason. With today's action, every act performed by Governor Ferguson and the board as formerly constituted has been annulled.

## Resolutions of Respect

Memphis Chapter No. 351 O. E. S. Your committee submits the following:

Whereas, in the Providence of God, our sister Maggie Stout, on Sept. 2nd, was called to the Grand Chapter above to solve the mightiest of all mysteries,

Resolved:—That this chapter has lost one who was faithful to every duty, tender of heart and ready to extend the hand of generous aid to Sister and Brother.

Resolved:—That we extend to the bereaved family our sympathy, reminding them that in affliction and sorrow the divine sentiment of her life may light up their souls with rays of consolation and hope;—that God rules over all, "with an eye that never sleeps and a wing that never tires."

Resolved:—That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of our chapter, a copy furnished the family, also the local papers for publication.

Committee Effie L. Houghton  
Imogene King  
W. H. Lindsey,  
Memphis Chapter No. 351 O. E. S.

## Millinery Notice.

I am closing out my felt hats at reduced prices: \$4.50 hats at \$3.00, 3.50 and \$3.00 hats at \$2.00 \$2.00 Crushers at \$1.25 and \$1.00.  
Miss M. Hunt.

## CHILDRESS FAIR OPENS TUESDAY

Big Attendance Indicated. Promises of Extraordinary Live Stock Exhibits are Made

When the gates of the Childress County Fair swing open next Tuesday morning, September the 25th, it is expected that no less than ten thousand people will enter. Aside from the support always manifested by the local people, the counties of Harmon of Oklahoma; Collingsworth, Hall, Motley, Cottle, and Hardeman will send large delegations in attendance on what will be known as County day. A cash prize is offered the county showing the largest attendance to the fair on this day, and all visitors from those counties will register at the office of the secretary that the official count may be made.

Reports coming from exhibitors are indicative that the coming exposition will be the largest and most successful in the history of the organization. Despite the drought of the year, Mr. L. Witherspoon, the efficient director in charge of the Agricultural Department in that department far exceed those of any previous year.

Practically all of the pens in the present hog barn are sold, and carpenters are now at work building additional facilities to accommodate the many more entries that are expected in this department.

Mr. Chester Eyles is in charge of the swine department and is assisted by Mr. A. W. Long Jr. These men are working hard to make the Childress County Fair produce the biggest and best hog show that has ever been staged in the Panhandle. If you have not secured your pens, see either of these men, pay .50c per pen for all that you desire, or see the secretary in the office of the Chamber of Commerce until Saturday after that date until the close of the Fair in his office at the Fair grounds and make your reservations.

Our Fair has always been noted for its Cattle Show. Mr. J. M. Crews is the Director in charge of this department, and states that many exhibitors are expected from the counties bordering Childress. It is especially desired that entries be made early in order not to congest work.

The horse and mule department is receiving special attention this year. Mr. B. M. Carter the Director in charge states that entries in this department will exceed those of previous years since the fact that many entries are being made for people in the adjoining counties.

The Childress County Fair boasts of the biggest and best Sheep and Goat show in the northwest, and this fact is largely due to the efforts of Mr. E. H. Denny, who is in charge of this department.

The poultry department is the largest in this part of the state, and in all probability a permanent Poultry Association will be organized at the Fair this year. Mr. T. L. Hardin is in charge, and is an expert poultry man. He will be in this department several days before the opening of the fair and will have charge of all entries, assisting the exhibitors in all ways possible. Exhibitors are cordially invited to attend the judging of this and all departments.

The ladies' department is in charge of Mrs. Tan Turner; and with the assistance of many chairmen and secretaries, this department is expected to surpass anything that has ever been had before in the lines adapted to the different divisions.

The Boys' and Girl's department is in charge of our efficient County Agent, Mr. H. H. Holtzclaw, and he has spared no pains what ever in making this year the banner year for the young ones.

## MAY FIX PRICE OF COTTON SEED

Cotton Seed Industry May Be Placed Under Regulations Similar to the Sugar Industry

Representatives of the Farmers' unions of Texas will be received in Washington by Herbert Hoover, food dictator, who suggests they arrive in Washington as soon after Sept. 21 as possible. Mr. Hoover invited the delegates to visit him in Washington in a telegram sent yesterday to D. E. Lyday, president of the Texas State Farmers' union, at Fort Worth, in which Mr. Hoover replied to a telegram dispatched by President Lyday, Thursday.

Saying: "The food administration is gathering information, but no final action will be taken until all sides have been heard. It seems desirable, however, that speculative practices be eliminated, and every possible economy maintained in the handling of the product. I shall be glad to receive representatives of the conference to be held at Dallas Sept. 21. It is desirable that this committee arrive as soon after the 21st as possible."

## Big Cattle Deal.

Plainview, Sept. 19.—Byron Gist has sold to Swearingen Bros. & White of Quanah 2,000 Hereford cows at \$100 around. Boyd Bros. & Elkins have sold to Swearingen Bros. & White 2,500 yearlings, the heifers bringing \$55 each and the steers \$50 each and 1,500 calves at \$37 each.

## Pink Bollworm Not in Texas.

The experts state that reports that the pink bollworm has established itself in Texas are erroneous. In the past few weeks there has been an unusual outbreak of the common bollworm of cotton, an insect which in one stage assumes a reddish color. It is believed that the reports are due to the finding of the one which has been common in Texas for many years.—Washington News Letter.

## Urges Negroes Be Trained at Home

Washington, Sept. 17.—A resolution declaring that it will be in the interest of public policy that each state train its own negro soldiers in separate camps was introduced today by Representative McLemore of Texas. It also stated that the "policy of sending negro soldiers from the northern states to be trained or for other purposes into the southern states is fraught with great danger to the peace and happiness of the people of the communities to which the northern negroes are sent and should be abandoned."

## A Sailor's Prayer.

(The following is sent in with request to publish by Cloyd (Buster) Stephens, a Memphis boy in the navy, now stationed at Mare Island, California.)

Now I lay me down to sleep,  
I pray the Lord my soul to keep;  
Grant that no other sailor take,  
My shoes or sox before I wake.  
Lord, guard me as I slumber,  
Keep my hammock on its number;  
May no clews or lashings break,  
To let me down before I wake.  
Keep me safely in thy sight,  
Disturbed by no fire-drill tonight,  
And in the morning, let me wake,  
Breathing scents of surlion stake,  
God protect me in my dreams,  
And make this better than it seems;  
Grant the time may swiftly fly,  
When I shall be at rest on high.  
In a snowy feather bed,  
There I long to rest my head;  
Far away from present scenes,  
And the smell of half-baked beans,  
Take me back into the land,  
Where they don't scrub down with sand;  
Where no demon typhoon blows—  
Where the women wash the clothes,  
Lord, thy knowest all my woes,  
As these lines I do compose;  
Take me back: I'll promise thee,  
Nevermore to go to sea.

## THREE YEARS LATER.

To Our Father in Washington:  
Please, dear father, let me stay,  
Do not send me to sea,  
For things that happened at the mast;  
Do not this request refuse,  
Take me at least another cruise.

## SELECTIVE DRAFT SOLDIERS GO AWAY WEDNESDAY NIGHT

THIRTY-THREE DRAFTED MEN LEAVE FOR NATIONAL ARMY TRAINING CAMP AT SAN ANTONIO

## NONE WOULD VOLUNTEER TO STAY

Citizens Show Appreciation by Courtesies and Big Crowd Wishes Them "God Speed"

Hall county's second contingent of its quota for the National Army left last night for Camp Travis, San Antonio, where the boys will receive their initial training preparatory to joining our other troops in France.

Thirty-one men and seven alternates were called by the local board to fill a requisition for 40 per cent and 10 per cent of total list additional, of the quota to be furnished by this county; all except one alternate responded to the call. Three men, W. H. Ballew, R. D. Gillenwater and J. E. Knox were granted extension of time to October 3. This left an excess of two men and volunteers to stay at home until next call were asked for by the board but none would respond and the board decided to let all, thirty-three, go. Their names follow:

G. T. Lamkins, C. C. Johnson, J. R. Cowan, C. L. Case, A. C. Kincaid, W. A. McMurry, J. C. Neill, D. D. Robertson, Steve Edwards, Louis Goffinet, C. R. McMurry, C. C. McClain, W. R. Wixom, Sam Proctor, L. E. Card, C. H. G. Pruitt, H. S. Eldridge, J. R. Martin, C. P. Vaugn, Tom Grammer, Lou D. Lyles, A. E. Webb, A. N. Wixom, G. W. Baskin, C. R. Melton, R. R. Russell, C. C. McMurry, C. L. Proctor, Ruben Correll, Ike I. Wallace, G. J. Billington, John D. Cain, J. M. Ishell.

These boys were a fine looking body of men and Memphis citizens showed that they were proud of them, and appreciated the service they were undertaking, in every possible manner. Comfort bags were furnished each by the Red Cross ladies, a watermelon feast was provided by the citizens and free admittance was offered by the Princess Theatre. Several speakers delivered addresses of appreciation, council and advise and they were the recipients of numerous other courtesies which doubtless warmed their hearts and cheered them in the great and dangerous undertaking upon which they are entering.

At night previous to the departure of the train a great crowd, many from surrounding towns and neighborhoods, accompanied the boys to their car, set out here for their especial use, and bade them a rousing farewell. In this crowd were many women and girls and many tears, not all confined to the women and girls, were in evidence; many strong men felt their eyes grow misty and others who succeeded in holding their tears in check experienced the feelings that accompany them. The departing boys, however, with few exceptions were cheerful and assured their friends of their intention to return after their work had been accomplished.

## Meeting at Church of Christ.

Continues with increasing interest Ira Y. Rice of Hollis, Oklahoma. One of the best singers in the south is conducting the song service. Come and enjoy these meetings. Day service 2:00 p. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Calston, of Alvarado, were here Wednesday on their way to the South Plains country, and stopped to visit old friends.

## South Side Tailor Shop.

We have opened a tailor shop in connection with our barber business on the south side of the square. Mr. W. M. Sessions, an experienced man proficient in this line of work is in charge and we guarantee that you will receive satisfactory service. Work will be called for and finished and delivered promptly. We ask a part of your patronage in this line. Phone No. 3. HOWELL & NEWMAN, ft.

AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School. 11:00. Morning Service  
3:30. Junior B.Y.P.U. 8.00 Evening Service  
SPECIAL MUSIC AT BOTH SERVICES  
Your best friend will be with us, will you?  
DAVID M. GARDNER, Pastor



## Summer Fashions

Though the weather man continues his maddening report of "fair and warmer," we fear him not at all, for we have weightier things on our minds than mere rise in temperature. The time to seriously plan the Autumn wardrobe has come, and nothing can interfere with that delightful task. Indeed, it must be more carefully planned this year than ever. There is no better formula for the woman of fashion than "Personality Plus Patriotism."

Naturally, the coat plays a very important part in the scheme of things this time of the year. Cool weather demands a coat, and fashion decides which coat. The smart wrap makes a deep impression on the casual ob-



Straight Lines, and a Smart Top Coat server, for, as every one knows, appearances count for a great deal in this world. There are top coats and

suit coats and evening coats; and, oh, the number of fascinating of models there are to choose from!

The top coat has been so very popular for some time that we feel that no wardrobe is complete without at least one. On Fifth Avenue one feels almost nonplussed by their great variety. There are coats that cling to the figure, proclaiming in every line their allegiance to the straight silhouette. The draped coats, rivals of the straight-line effects, have soft puffings and folds cunningly arranged to give the required fullness across the hips. There are coats without a bit of trimming, there are coats with braid, and coats with fur, and coats with buttons. The Chinese influence, so strongly predicted by Paris, has not as yet gained the ascendancy, though I saw a stunning wrap the other day, combination of beige and black, hanging straight from the shoulders, with the wide kimono sleeves and narrow belt. There was a waistcoat of many colors, in embroidery and beads; indeed, the waistcoats are quite a feature of this mode.

### The Practical Coat

The coat for every-day wear must of necessity be extremely simple, depending on the charm of line, color and material instead of on a great deal of trimming. Fur is still used to a great extent, though not so universally as last year, when one felt completely out of style if there was not a mile or two of fur on coat and dress. Collars, cuffs and pockets may be banded with fur, or, if satin is used, a very pretty trimming is wide Hercules braid. Stitching, too, will be used a great deal two or three rows on the collar and cuffs make an exceedingly pretty finish. Many of the coats fasten up to the neck with broad collars of the same material or of velvet, fur or satin.

A particularly good example of the smartness of simplicity is illustrated here. It has the Empire waistline so becoming to the young girl or the small woman with the girlish figure. It belongs to the drapery family, though the straight silhouette is followed. The smart pockets are really useful as well as being ornamental. The collar fastened so snugly here, is equally sometimes a swagger shoulder cape is worn with a coat of this type.

Coloring this Autumn will be a trifle subdued. It is rather a relief, I think



Evening Wrap of Rose-Colored Satin

to see the soft grays, tans and greens after the kaleidoscopic shades of the summer. Chocolate, dark green and blue are predominating colors, with here and there the alluring charm of the russet, tawny oranges and brilliant coppers. Never has there been a season when the color a woman really loves and admires can so easily be used. Combinations of colors, too, are seen everywhere. I have in mind one charming creation of dull rose combined with taupe.

The suit coats vary in length, from the very short Eton jacket to the coats in knee length or longer. As a well-known designer said to me the other day, "But, Madame, it is a matter of temperament, alone. Find the coat where you please."

### A Wonderful Evening Wrap

"The stuff dreams are made of," seems to have been used this year for the evening wraps. They are so soft and lustrous, so marvelous, and yet so simple, they seem in perfect harmony with the times. Of course velvets, plushes, broadcloths and satins are the favorite materials, but they so different in color and combinations of colors that they do not seem the same old materials. The one I dis-

trailed here is very, very simple, and absolutely irresistible. The collar is charmingly draped, the yoke effect gives so becoming a line, that one is tempted to say, "This is my ideal."

## SPARE TEARS FOR THE RICH

Should Anyone Have the Idea That Their Troubles Are Not Real, Let Them Read This.

Apropos of the food conservation drive, a dialogue overheard in one of the exclusive small shops on Fifth avenue, New York, is rather significant:

Said the first woman anxiously: "I don't know what I shall do with my poor little Pekingese. He doesn't seem to be able to eat anything. I buy him the very finest cuts of beef and lamb and chicken, but he won't touch a thing."

"I had the same difficulty," replied her friend. "The hot weather was so terrible that my little darling completely lost his appetite, but I tried dipping his little biscuits in cream, and then he was able to take them."

"Isn't it dreadful," said the first, "and with the prices of everything so high, too, and the government telling us to save food for the soldiers and for those poor people abroad. Do you know, just to feed my little dog alone costs me \$60 a month. His appetite is so delicate that he won't eat anything but the most expensive things."

"I know," said the other, with a sigh. "It's really dreadful. I don't see how we possibly can economize when everything costs so much."

## HEROIC TREATMENT



Jimmy—Well, I might like to go back to school as well as Earlie Evans does if you'd trained me as his mother trained him.

Mother—How was that?  
Jimmy—She licked him every day so he'd be glad to go back.

## Improved Magnifying Glass.

The newest magnifying glass is typical of that class of inventions which, without embodying any new principle, combine several old ones so effectively as to produce new results. This magnifying glass has a lens for each eye, thus permitting a stereoscopic vision, superior to the flat field produced by a single lens. The twin lenses are fastened to the head so that both hands are free. On the forehead above the glasses a small flashlight with a reflector is fastened, making a miniature searchlight to play on the object in hand. In surgery, research and delicate mechanics the new glass promises to prove a great convenience.

## Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces, Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

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Yellow complexion, pimples and disfiguring blemishes on the face or body can be gotten rid of by doctoring the liver, which is torpid. HERBINE is a powerful liver correctant. It purifies the system, stimulates the vital organs and puts the body in fine vigorous condition. Price 50c. Sold by Fickas Drug Company.

## JUDGE FOR YOURSELF

Which is Better—Try an Experiment or Profit by a Memphis Citizen's Experience.

Something new is an experiment. Must be proved to be as represented. The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit.

But the endorsement of friends is. Now supposing you had a bad back, A lame, weak or aching one. Would you experiment on it?

You will read of many so-called cures.

Endorsed by strangers from far-away places.

It's different when the endorsement comes from home.

Easy to prove local testimony.

Read this Memphis case:

J. W. McIntosh, S. Sixth St., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills off and on for a number of years with excellent results. My back was so weak and lame sometimes, that I could hardly lace my shoes in the morning. I felt tired out, languid and had dizzy spells. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Madden & Rushing Drug Store, relieved me in a short time."

Mr. McIntosh is only one of many Memphis people who have gratefully endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills. If your back aches, if your kidneys bother you don't simply ask for a kidney remedy ask distinctly for DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS, the same that Mr. McIntosh had, the remedy backed by home testimony, 60 cents at all stores. Foster Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. "When your back is lame—Remember the name."

When you have an achey, stretchy feeling and you are dull tired and discouraged it is a sign of approaching malaria or chills. You should act quickly to ward off an attack. HERBINE offers you the help you need. It destroys the malarial germ, drives out all impurities and makes you feel bright, vigorous and cheerful. Price 50c. Sold by Fickas Drug Co.

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The animals we kill are slaughtered in an absolutely sanitary slaughterhouse and nothing but fat, healthy animals are used. We buy and sell stock of all kinds.

## School Supplies

Don't forget that we have school pencils, erasers, water colors, fountain pens, penstamps, inks, library

R. E. Martin

## Health About Gone

Many thousands of women suffering from womanly trouble, have been benefited by the use of Cardui, the woman's tonic, according to letters we receive, similar to this one from Mrs. Z. V. Spell, of Hayne, N. C. "I could not stand on my feet, and just suffered terribly," she says. "As my suffering was so great, and he had tried other remedies, Dr. — had us get Cardui. . . I began improving, and it cured me. I know, and my doctor knows, what Cardui did for me, for my nerves and health were about gone."

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## CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

She writes further: "I am in splendid health . . . can do my work. I feel I owe it to Cardui, for I was in dreadful condition." If you are nervous, run-down and weak, or suffer from headache, backache, etc., every month, try Cardui. Thousands of women praise this medicine for the good it has done them, and many physicians who have used Cardui successfully with their women patients, for years, endorse this medicine. Think what it means to be in splendid health, like Mrs. Spell. Give Cardui a trial.

All Druggists

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## FALL'S A-COMING

We have just received fresh from center, a splendid line of fall dry goods

The new fall styles and shades definitely established. The garments now showing will be correct in styles throughout this entire season.

Every item we sell is a bargain; do not place fictitious values on merchandise

Fall's a-coming and you are coming, not, to our store to buy your outfit?

## Memphis Dry Goods Company

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# FARM ANIMALS

## SWINE REQUIRES SOME GRAIN

Expert at University Farm Gives Results of Three Tests of Feeding Corn to Hogs.

Can you afford to feed grain to your hogs this summer?

R. C. Ashby, in charge of swine at University farm, St. Paul, says you cannot afford to grow them without grain. He gives the results of three tests of feeding corn to hogs on rape pasture to prove his claim.

Six 50-pound pigs were put in each of three lots, about a quarter of an acre in size, on rape pasture. The pigs in the first lot were fed a half ration—2 per cent of corn; that is, two pounds of corn for every one hundred pounds of live weight. Those in the second lot were fed three pounds of corn for every one hundred pounds of pig; that is 3 per cent. The pigs in the third lot were fed a full ration, 4 per cent of corn. The pigs were on good rape pasture eleven weeks—from July 10 to September 26. Their gains were counted as worth 7 cents a pound and corn was charged at 55 cents a bushel.

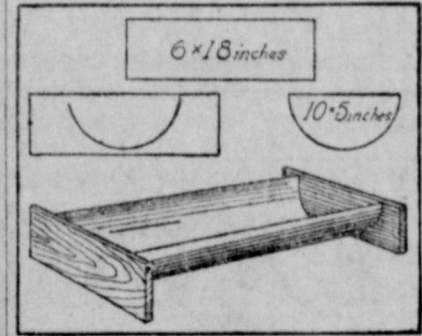
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## FEED TROUGH IS CONVENIENT

Piece of Galvanized Iron and Few Boards Make Handy Device for Use at Farrowing Time.

By securing a piece of galvanized iron, 18 by 22 inches, at the hardware store at a cost of not to exceed 20 cents, and a piece of board 1 by 6 inches and 5 feet long, a trough can be made that will prove very convenient at farrowing time, says a North Dakota writer in the Farmer. Cut the 5-foot board into four parts, two 18 inches long, each, for the ends, and the remaining two cut into semi-



Light Trough for Hogs.

circles 10 inches in diameter. Nail these pieces together, using the semi-circles for the form of the trough. The sheet iron is then bent into these forms to make the body of the trough. A 1 by 2-inch strip nailed between the ends close to the outside edge of the iron, to which it may be tacked, adds greatly to the strength of the trough. The above makes a very convenient, light and economical trough for farrowing time and has given the writer very satisfactory results.

## BEST ANIMALS FOR BREEDING

Get Boar Acquainted With Surroundings Before Using Him—Select Sows From Spring Litters.

Select the boar for use before you are ready to use him. Get him acclimated to your surroundings and method of feeding and care. Never use a young boar until he is past ten months of age if you want large, strong litters. Some breeders claim by using a young boar on mature sows one can produce hogs of greater size when a year old.

Select the breeding sows from early spring litters when they are six months old. One can form an opinion which ones are most likely to prove long-bodied, good-formed, of quiet disposition, good feeders and size rather than put on an excess of fat. Breed the gilt when about ten months old and if she proves herself a good breeder, raising uniform litters of strong, healthy pigs, keep her for several years, or as long as she is profitable.

## PASTURE SHEEP WITH COWS

Great Objection Is That Former Nibble Grass So Closely That the Latter Are Starved.

The great objection to pasturing sheep with cows is the fact that the sheep nibble the grass so close that the cows cannot get a bite.

This would not be very troublesome if there was plenty of grass and the pastures were abundant.

In dry weather where pastures are thin and overstocked the sheep would nearly starve the cattle out, and prevent their getting a fair share of the grass.

## Thin Animals Cold.

The thin animal is always cold. Put a blanket on it and give it cornmeal.

## ATONED FOR HIS BRUTALITY

Nothing but Suicide Left for Ill-Mannered Russian General Who Had Insulted Grand Duchess.

A titled visitor to Philadelphia who has spent many years in Russia tells me a story of his friend, the Grand Duchess Tatiana, one of the four lovely daughters now sent with the czar into exile.

In these hours when all thoughts turn to Russia—especially in this city—the story will bear repetition. Francis B. Reeves has reminded us in his new book of the warm friendship of Russia for Philadelphia, shown when the Russian battleships visited Philadelphia in 1893 to bring gifts to our commissioners who took the corn to feed the starving population. And Philadelphia locomotives are indispensable to Russia's railways.

It seems that the Grand Duchess Tatiana in her Red Cross uniform was riding on a tramway in Petrograd with a desperately wounded officer.

A "Russian" general with a German name and German manners boarded the car and demanded his subaltern's seat.

"Sit still," said Tatiana to her charge. He obeyed her.

After the general's third demand was disregarded, he turned a torrent of abuse upon Tatiana.

She handed him her card.

The German knelt in the car. She refused his apology. "You saw that man was grievously wounded. And you had no right to speak to any woman as you spoke to me."

Several days later the German officer shot himself. Which suggests a cheap and easy way of ending the war—"Girard" in Philadelphia Ledger.

## Chemical Wealth in Lakes.

There are several lakes in the United States which contain sodium carbonate, borax, potash and common table salt. The longer the war continues the more valuable these chemical bodies become. Perhaps the best known of these is Great Salt Lake, Utah's ocean of salt. Others are Searles Lake, Owens Lake and Mono Lake, all in California. The origin of these lakes is doubtful. In some cases they are probably due to an arm of the ocean becoming landlocked. The most remarkable feature about them is the fact that they seem to be continuously fed from subterranean sources, since they maintain a uniform amount of salt.—Popular Mechanics Monthly.

## Halt Traffic for Wounded.

On each crossing of the important streets and boulevards of Paris there stands these days a traffic policeman. Whenever he sees a wounded soldier approaching with the evident intention of crossing the street he halts the traffic and assists him over the dangerous zone.

This is an innovation by M. Hudelo, who is in control of the city's traffic. Understanding that it is impossible to make military chauffeurs more careful in their driving and knowing the futility of trying to teach the civilian taxi driver to drive properly in one day he has placed the remedy where it can counteract the evil.

## PA'S IDEA



"Has the devil any relatives, pa?"  
"I don't know, but he ought to have a mother-in-law."

## Littleton Sauce.

Melt one tablespoonful of butter, add one teaspoonful of flour mixed with one teaspoonful of mustard, and stir until well blended; then add one-half cupful of boiling water, one tablespoonful of vinegar and the slightly-beaten yolks of three eggs. Cook in double boiler, stirring constantly until mixture thickens. Season with salt and black pepper, and just before serving add one tablespoonful of currant jelly separated in pieces.

## Pensions for Teachers.

Governor Brumbaugh of Pennsylvania has signed a bill establishing a state teachers' retirement system on a basis of the teachers paying one-half and the state and the local district each one-fourth. The law will become operative when organizations are affected.

Herbine is the medicine that cures biliousness, malaria and constipation. The first dose makes you feel better, a few additional doses cures completely. Price 56c. Sold by Fickas Drug Co.

If your child is pale and sickly, picks at the nose, starts in the sleep and grinds the teeth while sleeping, it is a sure sign he has worms. A remedy for these parasites will be found in WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. It not only clears out the worms, but it restores health and cheerfulness. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Fickas Drug Company.

"Alta-Vista" Ice Cream—You know it when you taste it—It's good. Madden—Rushing Drug Co.

## What is LAX-FOS

LAX-FOS IS AN IMPROVED CASCARA  
A Digestive Liquid Laxative, Cathartic and Liver Tonic. Contains Cascara Bark, Blue Flag Root, Rhubarb Root, Black Root, May Apple Root, Senna Leaves and Pepsin. Combines strength with palatable aromatic taste. Does not gripe. 50c

## WHY YOU ARE NERVOUS

The nervous system is the alarm system of the human body.

In perfect health we hardly realize that we have a network of nerves, but when health is ebbing, when strength is declining, the same nervous system gives the alarm in headaches, tiredness, dreamful sleep, irritability and unless corrected, leads straight to a breakdown.

To correct nervousness, Scott's Emulsion is exactly what you should take; its rich nutriment gets into the blood and rich blood feeds the tiny nerve-cells while the whole system responds to its refreshing tonic force. It is free from alcohol. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

Dr. F. B. Erwin, graduate and licensed veterinarian; office at Fickas Drug Store. Calls answered promptly.

A twenty-five word classified ad, costs you 25c and may bring \$25.00 worth of business:

Cheap money to loan on Farms and Ranches. Vendor's lien notes bought and extended. If you are interested it will pay you to see us. 11-1f GRUNDY BROS.

For Sale—A piano on easy terms. phone K W 3. 12-6

Swellings of the flesh caused by inflammation, cold, fractures of the bone, toothache, neuralgia or rheumatism can be relieved by applying BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It should be well rubbed in over the part affected. Its great healing and penetrating power eases the pain, reduces swelling and restores natural conditions. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Fickas Drug Company.

## Poland Chinas

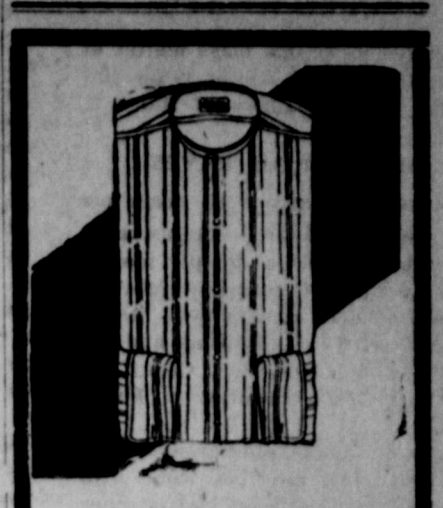
We have some of what we think are the best breeding and type of Big Boned Poland Chinas that have ever been raised in Hall county. Pigs of both sexes for sale.

Progressive Stock Farm.  
E. I. Bradley, Manager.

## Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's.

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 60 cents.

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## MEN'S HIGH GRADE SHIRTS

The most important accessory to Man's apparel is his personal linen. We have given our Shirt Stock special attention this season. In form, fabric and style our shirts represent the best efforts of the most noted Shirt Makers. White Shirts, Dress Shirts, Soft Shirts, Etc., Etc.

We Point with Pride to Our Shirts at \$1.00, \$2.50, 3.50, \$5.00

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## Lessons For Children

The lessons taught your children at school are important and great care is taken by the teachers to make them properly impressive, but there is a lesson far more important than in any text book, that you should teach your child. This lesson may affect the whole future of the child and determine its station in life. It is a lesson in saving and thrift. Many an improvident man owes his present condition to the failure of his parents to try to impress this lesson upon him when young.

A bank account in its own name is perhaps the shortest and most practical method of teaching this lesson. Pride in ownership is perhaps the most powerful incentive to thrift and economy—and economy is the most essential element to success.

## Citizens State Bank

MEMPHIS, TEXAS



## Summer Fashions

Though the weather man continues his maddening report of "fair and warmer," we fear him not at all, for we have weightier things on our minds than mere rise in temperature. The time to seriously plan the Autumn wardrobe has come, and nothing can interfere with that delightful task. Indeed, it must be more carefully planned this year than ever. There is no better formula for the woman of fashion than "Personality Plus Patriotism."

Naturally, the coat plays a very important part in the scheme of things this time of the year. Cool weather demands a coat, and fashion decides which coat. The smart wrap makes a deep impression on the casual ob-



Straight Lines, and a Smart Top Coat server, for, as every one knows, appearances count for a great deal in this world. There are top coats and

suit coats and evening coats; and, oh, the number of fascinating models there are to choose from!

The top coat has been so very popular for some time that we feel that no wardrobe is complete without at least one. On Fifth Avenue one feels almost nonplused by their great variety. There are coats that cling to the figure, proclaiming in every line their allegiance to the straight silhouette. The draped coats, rivals of the straight-line effects, have soft puffings and folds cunningly arranged to give the required fulness across the hips. There are coats without a bit of trimming, there are coats with braid, and coats with fur, and coats with buttons. The Chinese influence, so strongly predicted by Paris, has not as yet gained the ascendancy, though I saw a stunning wrap the other day, combination of beige and black, hanging straight from the shoulders, with the wide kimono sleeves and narrow belt. There was a waistcoat of many colors, in embroidery and beads; indeed, the waistcoats are quite a feature of this mode.

### The Practical Coat

The coat for every-day wear must of necessity be extremely simple, depending on the charm of line, color and material instead of on a great deal of trimming. Fur is still used to a great extent, though not so universally as last year, when one felt completely out of style if there was not a mink or two of fur on coat and dress. Collars, cuffs and pockets may be banded with fur, or, if satin is used, a very pretty trimming is wide Hercules braid. Stitching, too, will be used a great deal two or three rows on the collar and cuffs make an exceedingly pretty finish. Many of the coats fasten up to the neck with broad collars of the same material or of velvet, fur or satin.

A particularly good example of the smartness of simplicity is illustrated here. It has the Empire waistline so becoming to the young girl or the small woman with the girlish figure. It belongs to the drapery family, though the straight silhouette is followed. The smart pockets are really useful as well as being ornamental. The collar fastened so snugly here, is equally sometimes a swag shoulder cape is worn with a coat of this type.

Coloring this Autumn will be a trifle subdued. It is rather a relief, I think



Evening Wrap of Rose-Colored Satin

to see the soft grays, tans and greens after the kaleidoscopic shades of the summer. Chocolate, dark green and blue are predominating colors, with here and there the alluring charm of the russet, tawny oranges and brilliant coppers. Never has there been a season when the color a woman really loves and admires can so easily be used. Combinations of colors, too, are seen everywhere. I have in mind one charming creation of dull rose combined with taupe.

The suit coats vary in length, from the very short Eton jacket to the coats in knee length or longer. As a well-known designer said to me the other day, "But, Madame, it is a matter of temperament, alone. End the coat where you please."

### A Wonderful Evening Wrap

"The stuff dreams are made of," seems to have been used this year for the evening wraps. They are so soft and lustrous, so marvelous, and yet so simple, they seem in perfect harmony with the times. Of course velvets, plushes, broadcloths and satins are the favorite materials, but they so contrast in colors and combinations of colors that they do not seem the same old materials. The one I re-

traced here is very, very staple, and absolutely irresistible. The collar is charmingly draped, the yoke effect gives so becoming a line, that one is tempted to say, "This is my ideal."

### SPARE TEARS FOR THE RICH

Should Anyone Have the Idea That Their Troubles Are Not Real, Let Them Read This.

Apropos of the food conservation drive, a dialogue overheard in one of the exclusive small shops on Fifth Avenue, New York, is rather significant:

Said the first woman anxiously: "I don't know what I shall do with my poor little Pekinese. He doesn't seem to be able to eat anything. I buy him the very finest cuts of beef and lamb and chicken, but he won't touch a thing."

"I had the same difficulty," replied her friend. "The hot weather was so terrible that my little darling completely lost his appetite, but I tried dipping his little biscuits in cream, and then he was able to take them."

"Isn't it dreadful," said the first, "and with the prices of everything so high, too, and the government telling us to save food for the soldiers and for those poor people abroad. Do you know, just to feed my little dog alone costs me \$60 a month. His appetite is so delicate that he won't eat anything but the most expensive things."

"I know," said the other, with a sigh. "It's really dreadful. I don't see how we possibly can economize when everything costs so much."

### HEROIC TREATMENT



Jimmy—Well, I might like to go back to school as well as Earle Evans does if you'd trained me as his mother trained him.

Mother—How was that?

Jimmy—She licked him every day so he'd be glad to go back.

### Improved Magnifying Glass.

The newest magnifying glass is typical of that class of inventions which, without embodying any new principle, combine several old ones so effectively as to produce new results. This magnifying glass has a lens for each eye, thus permitting a stereoscopic vision, superior to the flat field produced by a single lens. The twin lenses are fastened to the head so that both hands are free. On the forehead above the glasses a small flashlight with a reflector is fastened, making a miniature searchlight to play on the object in hand. In surgery, research and delicate mechanics the new glass promises to prove a great convenience.

### Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

Yellow complexion, pimples and disfiguring blemishes on the face or body can be gotten rid of by doctoring the liver, which is torpid. HERBINE is a powerful liver correctant. It purifies the system, stimulates the vital organs and puts the body in fine vigorous condition. Price 50c. Sold by Fickas Drug Company.

### JUDGE FOR YOURSELF

Which is Better—Try an Experiment or Profit by a Memphis Citizen's Experience.

Something new is an experiment. Must be proved to be as represented. The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit.

But the endorsement of friends is. Now supposing you had a bad back, a lame, weak or aching one. Would you experiment on it?

You will read of many so-called cures. Endorsed by strangers from faraway places.

It's different when the endorsement comes from home.

Easy to prove local testimony.

Read this Memphis case:

J. W. McIntosh, 8, Sixth St., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills off and on for a number of years with excellent results. My back was so weak and lame sometimes, that I could hardly lace my shoes in the morning. I felt tired out, languid and had dizzy spells. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Madden & Rushing Drug Store, relieved me in a short time."

Mr. McIntosh is only one of many Memphis people who have gratefully endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills. If your back aches, if your kidneys bother you don't simply ask for a kidney remedy ask distinctly for DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS, the same that Mr. McIntosh had, the remedy backed by home testimony. 60 cents at all stores. Foster Millburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. "When your back is lame—Remember the name."

When you have an aching, stretchy feeling and you are dull tired and discouraged it is a sign of approaching malaria or chills. You should act quickly to ward off an attack. HERBINE offers you the help you need. It destroys the malarial germ, drives out all impurities and makes you feel bright, vigorous and cheerful. Price 50c. Sold by Fickas Drug Co.

With the High prices you of course want to save all you can on your

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The animals we kill are slaughtered in an absolutely sanitary slaughterhouse and nothing but fat, healthy animals are used. We buy and sell stock of all kinds.



## School Supplies

Don't forget that we have school tables, pencils, erasers, water colors, fountain pens, penstiffs, inks, library paste, etc.

R. E. Martin Drug Store

## Health About Gone

Many thousands of women suffering from womanly trouble, have been benefited by the use of Cardui, the woman's tonic, according to letters we receive, similar to this one from Mrs. Z. V. Spell, of Hayne, N. C. "I could not stand on my feet, and just suffered terribly," she says. "As my suffering was so great, and he had tried other remedies, Dr. — had us get Cardui. . . I began improving, and it cured me. I know, and my doctor knows, what Cardui did for me, for my nerves and health were about gone."

### TAKE

## CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

She writes further: "I am in splendid health . . . can do my work. I feel I owe it to Cardui, for I was in dreadful condition." If you are nervous, run-down and weak, or suffer from headache, backache, etc., every month, try Cardui. Thousands of women praise this medicine for the good it has done them, and many physicians who have used Cardui successfully with their women patients, for years, endorse this medicine. Think what it means to be in splendid health, like Mrs. Spell. Give Cardui a trial.

All Druggists



## FALL'S A-COMING

We have just received fresh from fashion center, a splendid line of fall dry goods.

The new fall styles and shades have definitely established. The garments we now showing will be correct in style and colors throughout this entire season.

Every item we sell is a bargain; because we do not place fictitious values on merchandise.

Fall's a-coming and you are coming, are you not, to our store to buy your outfit?

## Memphis Dry Goods Company

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# THE BLOSSOMS

EDGAR READ SILVER.

of apple blossoms perched, bringing to Anna memories of a late spring years ago when, in the orchard, Edgar Gilliam had said good-by.

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# FARM ANIMALS

## SWINE REQUIRES SOME GRAIN

Expert at University Farm Gives Results of Three Tests of Feeding Corn to Hogs.

Can you afford to feed grain to your hogs this summer?

R. C. Ashby, in charge of swine at University farm, St. Paul, says you cannot afford to grow them without grain. He gives the results of three tests of feeding corn to hogs on rape pasture to prove his claim.

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A titled visitor to Philadelphia who has spent many years in Russia tells me a story of his friend, the Grand Duchess Tatiana, one of the four lovely daughters now sent with the czar into exile.

In these hours when all thoughts turn to Russia—especially in this city—the story will bear repetition. Francis E. Reeves has reminded us in his new book of the warm friendship of Russia for Philadelphia, shown when the Russian battleships visited Philadelphia in 1893 to bring gifts to our commissioners who took the corn to feed the starving population. And Philadelphia locomotives are indispensable to Russia's railways.

It seems that the Grand Duchess Tatiana in her Red Cross uniform was riding on a tramway in Petrograd with a desperately wounded officer.

A "Russian" general with a German name and German manners boarded the car and demanded his subaltern's seat.

"Sit still," said Tatiana to her charge. He obeyed her.

After the general's third demand was disregarded, he turned a torrent of abuse upon Tatiana.

She handed him her card.

The German knelt in the car. She refused his apology. "You saw that man was grievously wounded. And you had no right to speak to any woman as you spoke to me."

Several days later the German officer shot himself. Which suggests a cheap and easy way of ending the war.—"Girard" in Philadelphia Ledger.

## Chemical Wealth in Lakes.

There are several lakes in the United States which contain sodium carbonate, borax, potash and common table salt. The longer the war continues the more valuable these chemical bodies become. Perhaps the best known of these is Great Salt Lake, Utah's ocean of salt. Others are Searles Lake, Owens Lake and Moho Lake, all in California. The origin of these lakes is doubtful. In some cases they are probably due to an arm of the ocean becoming landlocked. The most remarkable feature about them is the fact that they seem to be continuously fed from subterranean sources, since they maintain a uniform amount of salt.—Popular Mechanics Monthly.

## Halt Traffic for Wounded.

On each crossing of the important streets and boulevards of Paris there stands these days a traffic policeman. Whenever he sees a wounded soldier approaching with the evident intention of crossing the street he halts the traffic and assists him over the dangerous zone.

This is an innovation by M. Hudelo, who is in control of the city's traffic. Understanding that it is impossible to make military chauffeurs more careful in their driving and knowing the futility of trying to teach the civilian taxi driver to drive properly in one day he has placed the remedy where it can counteract the evil.

## PA'S IDEA

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Quite a number of Hall county citizens have received the following letter within the past few days:

"My Dear Sir: I was very much surprised to see your name amongst those who signed the Browder and Dunnaway petition questioning my fitness to sit as a member of the Senate during the consideration of the impeachment proceedings against Governor Ferguson. I knew that you were aware that last winter I learned the facts upon which this impeachment was based and knew then what the remainder of the Senators is at this time learning relative to the conduct of the Governor. I was not surprised that my enemies in that county should go to every length to discredit me but did not think they would have the co-operation of men who claimed to be my friends. I feel sure that you signed this petition without due consideration and want to assure you at this time that it can have no more effect than pouring water on a duck's back."

"Very truly yours," "W. A. Johnson" "Senator 29th Dist."

Why the surprise? Subsequent statements in this letter show that the writer is possessed of the gift of fore-knowing coming events, so he must have known in advance what the parties addressed would do! Many of the charges upon which the governor was being tried are based upon acts alleged to have been committed SINCE last winter, yet the senator says he knew at that time what the other senators, less gifted, are now learning through the testimony of sworn witnesses. This statement clears up certain matters that have perplexed and embarrassed his friends who, in spite of their trustful confidence in his honor, have found it difficult to explain how he could declare in advance of the testimony, or even the indictments, that he would vote for conviction. The senator, because of his unusual gift, knew last winter that the governor would commit certain impeachable acts during the coming spring and summer, and of course, his knowledge being perfect and complete, he knew that he would vote for conviction. It may be possible that some of the senator's enemies may pretend to doubt that he possesses this rare, and for this age, uncommon gift, and it is suggested that the following petition be drafted and circulated: "We the undersigned, having the uttermost confidence in the truthfulness, integrity and honor of Senator W. A. Johnson, fully and unreservedly believe that he possesses the power of seeing, to the extent of at least seven months, and perhaps a year or further, into the future; and denounce the refusal of certain disreputable and incredulous parties to accept such belief as an attack upon the University of Texas." Signers will probably be readily found; but if any should hesitate they should be told that all doubters are antis.

Oh, Mister Dunnaway, Why'd you do it, anyway, You and this bold man Browder? A senatorial bomb was set, Now you have gone and wet, And ma' be ruined, the powder.

AN ERROR.

Those who believe, as set fourth in the "square deal" petition, published last week, "it is impossible to find a reputable man in Hall county who believes that Johnson could sit as an unprejudiced juror or render an impartial verdict as a judge. "In the impeachment proceedings at Austin, were, seemingly, in error. Nearly one hundred and fifty reputable men, including merchants, other business men, and an extraordinary number of bankers, have signed a statement that they so believe. The word "seemingly," however, is we think used advisedly; because it is possible that these men, when they signed the statement named were not in possession of important facts. They knew, of course, as every one in this section knows, that Senator Johnson and the defendant at Austin had had personal differences and differed on certain political matters and that the former was bitterly prejudiced against the latter; but they probably believed that despite this, the senator would as a judge in this case lay aside his personal feelings and listen to the sworn evidence, reserving and rendering a decision according to the evidence produced at the trial and in accordance with the law of the land. What they certainly must NOT have known was that Senator Johnson had already, even before the House had heard the evidence or determined upon what acts to base indictments, pre-determined his verdict and declared his intention to vote for conviction, facts that he has not, and can not successfully, deny. That these facts were not within their knowledge is the charitable and, doubtless, the correct view; since any other would put the signers in the ridiculous and contradictory position of themselves attacking the integrity of the man whom they would defend. Their implication that he would, should the evidence justify, render a verdict favoring the defendant reflecting, of course, upon the veracity of the man who had positively declared that he would act to the contrary. Another, and a compelling, reason for taking this view is that these men, without, we believe, an exception, are citizens of the highest standing, a majority at least, of whom are professed followers of one who taught that we should love our enemies and that charity and mercy should accompany justice; he who changed the merciless old law to the Golden Rule. We can not believe that any of these men would, if accused, wish to be tried by one who had declared a conviction of guilt to say nothing of a declared resolve to condemn them. We believe they would protest against such manifest unfairness, not only for themselves, but, given time to deliberate, even for an enemy.

Speaking of an alleged "clique" which it says has made every effort in the past to defeat the "Honorable W. A. Johnson, State Senator from the Twenty-ninth District," the Hall County Herald asks: "ain't that a bunch of a bunch to have to live in the same county with."

And what makes it worse and more humiliating is that there is such a bunch of a lot of them; as shown by the fact that a considerable majority in this county, where he has to live, of the votes in the senatorial race were cast for his opponent. Such a state of affairs is disagreeable, not to say distressing; but what is the remedy? To suggest that the senator does not have to live where he is so little appreciated and that he could move to another county, where he might, temporarily at least, be more popular, would, doubtless, be considered impertinent and improper, not to say impolite, so that solution, simple and practicable though it seems, must be dismissed. The other alternative, that of compelling a majority of the people of the county most of whom have made their homes here for years, to leave and seek dwelling places elsewhere, seems harsh, even for an offense so flagrant. But, if the situation continues to grow worse this extreme measure may have to be resorted to.

Compensation for death under the soldier insurance bill was equalized as between the officer and the enlisted man in an amendment adopted by the house, presented by Representative Eugene Black of Texas. When the vote was taken but three members opposed Mr. Black's amendment, which removed the payment of death claims based upon percentages of the pay the deceased was drawing in the army.

The main purpose of the soldiers' insurance bill as passed by the house is to provide a substitute for the present pension law as it would apply to men engaged in this war, a new system of allotments and compensations which will provide for dependents of the soldiers and rehabilitate men upon their return from the war.

FOREIGN—

Backers of the old theory that, in war times, births of boy babies far outnumber those of girls, were given a setback at the news that the kaiser has another granddaughter. The girl was born to Prince and Princess Adelbert at Kiel. The Crown Princess also recently bore a girl baby.

EUROPEAN WAR HAPPENINGS—

German cavalry posts south of the Riga-Wenden road on the northern Russian front, withdrew before strong Russian pressure, according to the official announcement issued by the German general headquarters staff.

Confirmation of the destruction by a German submarine of the big Atlantic transport liner Minnehaha, with a loss of life, was received in New York by the line from its office in England. The cable message said that 43 members of the crew perished and 116 were saved.

Many lives were lost and heavy damage done to buildings, including the American consulate, when a typhoon swept over Amoy, China, the state department was advised. No foreign casualties resulted.

Sheriff's Sale

By authority of the stock law passed by the 34th Legislature and adopted in Commissioner's precinct No. 1 of Hall County Texas. I have taken into my possession one brown filly about 3 years old, owner unknown which I will proceed to sell, within the hours presented by law for Sheriff's sale on Monday the 1st day of October 1917 at Mrs. R. E. King's farm 2 miles S. W. of Memphis, Texas J. E. King Sheriff Hall County, Texas, Memphis, Texas, September 20, 1917.

Why Ships Float.

Steel ships differ from those of wood in that their hulls are made of steel plates riveted together, instead of the old method of using wooden planking. They are enabled to float because, being hollow, they have what is called buoyancy. A steel ship displaces a volume of water equal in weight to its own. The principle of buoyancy may be tested by floating an iron ball in a bathtub full of water.

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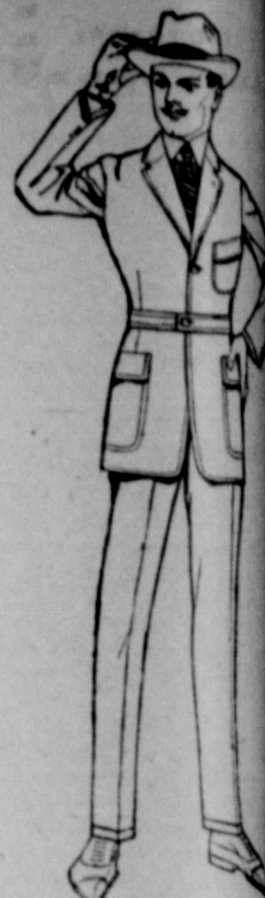
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# Local and Personal

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John Crews of Childress was here Monday.  
 Henry Jenkins left Monday for Dallas.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill Green, a Saturday.  
 Cummings returned Monday for Fort Worth.  
 E. Martin left Sunday for Dallas and a few days.  
 Gamble left Sunday for Houston.  
 Thompson went to Dallas, Monday to enter S. M. U.  
 Clarice Crozier left Sunday for S. M. U. at Dallas.  
 Brannon left Sunday for Houston to visit relatives.  
 Loma Madden left Tuesday for Dallas to enter S. M. U.  
 Stroud and family went to Oklahoma, Wednesday.  
 Eva Bradley left Sunday for T. C. U. at Fort Worth.  
 Bess and Lillian Norwood Monday to attend T. W. C.  
 Lois Quigley left for Fort Sunday to attend T. C. U.  
 J. A. McInire, H. W. Mitchell, C. M. Green of Estelline, were Tuesday.  
 Anna Mae Dalrymple of is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Minter.  
 J. Holt, who formerly lived at now resides at Dathart, is his week.  
 J. M. Browder and daughters, Bessie and Francis, left Sunday for Dallas.  
 Miller returned Tuesday from Iowa, where he has been visiting relatives.  
 Montgomery took his grand-buster, to Dallas last week to in school.  
 Willie L. Clower left Sunday for Belmont College.  
 Kathryn Jones of Lakeview, Monday night for Denton to attend second year at C. L. A.

Counting Up to "Bcomfit."  
 reader who was interested in the counting that the Companion put on this page some months ago found in the London Chronicle something about a similar sort of counting that was long in use in a part of England. The Chronicle says:  
 "elder generation of farmers in our northern dales used a set of numerals, especially counting sheep. They made a notch just wide enough to one sheep at a time, and as they went through they counted making a notch in a stick at fifteen."  
 "etically the numerals sound can, tne, tether, mether, pip, one, catterer, wheeler, dick, er-dick, tane-er-dick, tether-er-dick, boomfit."  
 "andi" was fifteen; when they d it they made a notch in the and began the strange chant all again.—Youth's Companion.

Warned by Electric Sirens.  
 England many of the large manufacturing establishments employing hands make use of electric for warning employees in the of air raids. The sirens are for use in connection with in-calling or alarm systems and ersede bells, gongs and other ing methods. They are capable ration in regular lighting circuits and require little amperage. sirens are instantly responsive er button or self-operating mechanism may be wired in series or as desired. Code signalling can dily obtained with these horns, owing to their distinctive tone, and instant attention.—Scientific

Advantages of Motors in Cities.  
 According to the estimates of a trade fifteen thousand horses, valued \$10,000, died in New York city and the loss of services, vet- fees and other incidentals were to those that fell ill or were amounted to as much more. truck can be repaired or re- possesses some value when order and it eats nothing when for repairs; but a dead horse ce to remove than it is worth. truck can be operated twenty hours a day and occupies less when not running than does a horses and a wagon. This space is important in a large though it is not considered in the

Heat-Resisting Material.  
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J. H. Fry, cashier of the Turkey bank, was here Wednesday. He informed us that the late rains have made a good season for wheat planting in that section and that much wheat is being sown; few large fields but many smaller patches, for pasture and possible grain yield.  
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J. H. Gipson, J. L. Darby, R. H. Whaley and Horace Bauman of Estelline were business visitors here Monday afternoon.

Messrs. J. E. Grundy, Billy Moore, H. W. Mitchell, and Curry Green of Estelline were here Tuesday on their way home from Turkey.

J. H. Mencham of Turkey was here Wednesday to see his son, Charley, off to the army with the Hall county contingent Wednesday night.

Miss Ira Hammond left Sunday night for Kansas City, Mo. to enter a Missionary school, where she expects to take a two years course.

J. A. Kutch was called to Tucuman, New Mexico, on Wednesday of last week by the illness and subsequent death of his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Kutch. Mrs. Kutch was for several years a resident of Memphis and her many friends here will regret to learn of her death.

LOST—Light colored coat between Lakeview and Memphis Saturday morning. Masonic and Odd Fellow badges on lapel. Leave at Harrison and Clower's Store.

W. R. Davis, Lakeview, R. 1.

### Resolution of Respect

Wehrens, our Heavenly Father, who is all wise and very great in mercy, has in His kind providence, seen fit to call from our midst our beloved, A. W. Read, who was a true citizen, a faithful member and a loyal and judicious deacon of the First Baptist church of Memphis.

Therefore, in testimony of our sympathy for the bereaved companion, children, relatives and friends, we do hereby offer these resolutions.

1. That we recognize in his death the community has lost a most useful citizen, the church a good and faithful member, the family an affectionate husband and father.

2. That we express our heartfelt sympathy to his loved ones in their sadness and sorrow. Yet knowing that our loss is Heaven's gain, we sorrow not as those who have no hope.

3. That a copy of these resolutions be spread on our church book, a copy sent to the bereaved family and a copy sent to each of the local papers and to the Baptist Standard for publication.

J. E. Neel  
 Committee (S. T. Harrison  
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Howard Wren left Friday for Plainview, where at which place he will attend Wayland College.

Ferrol Smith came down from Dalhart, Sunday and is spending the week here.

### Remembered Fellow-Sufferer.

An acquaintance formed in a boat full of castaways half a century ago bore tangible fruit for Frederick Clough of San Francisco, who has been notified that through the will of Henry Ferguson of Hartford, Conn., he is left a bequest of \$100 a month for the rest of his life. Clough is now seventy-one years of age. When he met Ferguson, Clough was a sailor on the old clipper ship Hornet, and Ferguson was a passenger. The ship caught fire in the South Pacific and the two escaped in a boat with thirteen members of the crew. After forty-four days of extreme hardships during which they ran short of both food and water, the party finally made one of the Hawaiian islands. There was the only boat saved. Clough and Ferguson both went to San Francisco, the former remaining there and the latter returning to his home in Hartford.

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### MAY HAVE BEEN INDIGESTION

Indianapolis Man Is Puzzled Over Peculiar Action of Hitherto Well-Behaved Automobile.

The accustomed peace and quiet in the village of Woodruff Place was harshly broken late the other evening by a disturbance that caused A. L. Smith, living in the East drive, to wonder what particular brand of spooks finds lodgment in the innards of motor cars, says the Indianapolis News. Smith put his car in the garage at a decent and respectable hour, turned off the lights, locked the door, hung the key on the nail in the kitchen and went to bed. But that motor car did not seem to be fully satisfied. Perhaps the heat and the stuffy garage had something to do with it.

Whatever the nature of the bug under its bonnet, the troubled soul of the automobile found voice along about midnight. From the dark recesses of the garage rose a quivering howl that put to shame all roosters within half a mile. Slumbering neighbors turned over, muttered "What the deuce?" or other synonymous classical references, and peered out of the bathroom windows, while Smith, trusty revolver in one hand and flashlight in the other, padded cautiously garageward. Peering within, nothing appeared, but the car still yelled its head off. Advancing boldly, he commanded, "See here, now, that's enough of this nonsense," and stepped on the running board, at which the car gave a final yelp and subsided. "Now somebody tell me what started it," said Smith next morning, at the caucus of neighbors in the alley. "Sounded mighty spooky, anyway."

### IDEAL METAL FOR MOTORS

Secret of Material Which Has Made German Airplanes Superior to Others Has Been Discovered.

The United States government has learned that the success of the German airplanes is largely attributable to what is known as kaiser zinn metal, which is used for the motors. A piece of this metal was picked up by a British soldier who brought down a German taube. It interested him so much that he subjected it to a scientific test and discovered that it consisted of the following: Copper, 1.58 parts; tin, 92.98 parts, and antimony, 5.44 parts.

This alloy, which is somewhat akin to Britannia metal, was discovered by the Germans about 50 years ago. They first used it as a substitute for silver in the making of all kinds of articles for the dining table, never dreaming that some day it would prove so serviceable in military affairs. It is as light as aluminum, has great tensile strength and unusual resisting power. A prominent American manufacturer of motors has succeeded in duplicating this alloy perfectly, and in a short time several thousand motors made of it will be ready for use. It is claimed that it can be turned out at small expense.

### Shall It Be "Langley's?"

As a tribute to the memory of the man who was first to discover, and partly to apply, the rule in aerostatics, to which the world is indebted for the modern advance in aviation, it is proposed that the United States government shall designate the airplanes which it is to send to European battlefields "Langley's." Greater recognition than his work has received should certainly be given to the modest professor, who, theoretically, at least, proved it possible to navigate the air with heavier-than-air machines. But, then, there are the Wrights. No injustice should be done the men who put Professor Langley's theory into practice. Would not "Langwrights" be a better name?—Christian Science Monitor.

### May Have Solved Old Problem.

A German scientist claims to have solved the problem of transmitting photographs under the ocean by cable. His process, if successful, represents the solution of an old problem. Photographs have long been transmissible by telegraph by the use of selenium, a metal whose electrical resistance varies with the intensity of the light striking it. But a similar process for cable work has never been perfected hitherto, because of the extreme feeble-

ness of the electric current that must pass through thousands of miles of wire without a relay. The new process is said to make use of the selenium principle and an elaborate system of relays at each end.

### Quota, Quote and Unquote.

"Why did it take so long to fill the quotas?" said William Hennessey of the fifth division, repeating a question. "There's a lot of reasons," he answered. "You've got to pay proper respect to Washington by reading all of their orders. Listen to this one about the examination of teeth:

"Repeat following telegram to local boards at once: Period quote physical regulations comma line seven from the bottom substitute quote or unquote for quote and unquote between quote side unquote and unquote two above unquote period, in other words comma man must have two teeth in opposition on one side or the other."—Chicago Herald.

### Tenants Wanted.

"I thought that apartment house I put up last winter would prove a sure winner," said the owner.

"Doesn't it pay?" asked his friend.

"No," replied the disgusted owner. "It's a flat failure."—New Haven Register.

### Breakfast Rusks.

Dry or slightly toast slices of bread and ends of loaves on the back of a stove or in a slow oven. Crush with rolling pin and serve the fragments with milk or cream and sugar, and fruit, if desired, as a breakfast food. This product closely resembles some commercially prepared breakfast foods and is obviously less expensive.

### SHEEP REQUIRE DRY SHELTER

In Ordinary Climate House for Animals May Be Constructed of One Thickness of Boards.

Contrary to general opinion, sheep as well as any other class of farm animals require clean, dry shelter. It is especially important that the feet and fleece be kept dry. If their quarters are dry and clean the sheep will stand very cold weather without discomfort or disease. There must be ample ventilation, for sheep, if closely crowded, sweat badly and quickly use up the oxygen in the air, but there must be no drafts as sheep are easily subject to colds.

In the ordinary climate the sheep barn may be constructed of one thickness of matched boards. It should be large enough to house the entire flock without crowding. Windows enough to permit lots of sunshine to enter and clean, dry bedding under foot are necessities. The lambing pens should be of warmer construction than the general shed.

### RIGHT WAY TO CATCH SHEEP

Get Him Either by Hind Leg or Placing Hand Under Jaw—Never Grab Him by the Wool.

It is improper to catch a sheep by its wool. Butchers know what it means to the poor animal, for it leaves a black or blue mark or bruise on the carcass, which interferes with the sale of it.

Catch a sheep either by the hind leg or by placing the hand underneath the jaw or neck. When using a crook, aim to catch a sheep above the gambrel joint, as there is danger of injuring the leg when catching it below this joint.

### REMOVE YOUNG PIGS' TUSKS

Youngsters Often Use Teeth in Fighting for Possession of Teat—Not a Difficult Job.

When young pigs are nursing they will often fight one another for the possession of a teat, and at that early age will make use of their tusks. The results are many lacerated mouths. The teats of the sows sometimes become sore from the same cause.

The removal of the tusks is the best way to prevent these troubles. This is done by taking a pig under the left arm, the mouth is then opened and the tusks are broken off near the gums on both sides of the mouth.

### JUST WANTED HIS LAUNDRY

But Methods Employed by New York Man to Get It Involved Him in Serious Trouble.

If any one had spoken to Charles Turpin the other day at two o'clock it is just about a ten-to-one shot that no answer would have been forthcoming. For at that hour Mr. Turpin was being removed, feet up, from the ratskeller laundry of Charles Fung, West Fourteenth street, followed by the ruin of his own laundry bundle, the imported imprecations of Mr. Fung and two policemen, who were ready at a moment's notice to repeat what had already been transacted regarding Mr. Turpin's skull, says the New York Herald. In brief, Mr. Turpin was as busy as a witch.

Inasmuch as Mr. Turpin has made no statement other than that the remaining days of C. Fung upon this earth are numbered, it is difficult to learn what started the typhoon. Mr. Fung speaks a number of dialects which no one cares to listen to, and aside from gestures his descriptive powers seem notoriously weak.

All that is clear is that Mr. Turpin, having lost his check, demanded his laundry at once, and during the indecision of C. Fung, began to open bundles and try on anonymous shirts. Mr. Fung blew a police whistle once, after which Mr. Turpin is alleged to have sent the whistle in one blow from Mr. Fung's mouth to a point off Sandy Hook. It took three policemen to convince Mr. Turpin in matters pertaining to laundry he is all wrong, and in the Jefferson Market court he was held in \$1,500 bail as an unusually disorderly customer.

### KNEW WEAKNESS OF WOMEN

French Police Minister Played Shrewdly on Well-Known Characteristic of the Fair Sex.

During the reign of Louis XV of France, the light chaise came into fashion, and great ladies of Paris were accustomed to drive in them about the city. But beautiful hands are not always strong ones; accidents began to occur more and more frequently in the streets. Consequently, says Das Buch fur Alle, the king besought the minister of police to do something, since the lives of pedestrians were constantly in danger.

"I will do whatever is in my power," replied the police minister. "Your majesty desires that these accidents cease entirely?"

The king replied, "Certainly. See to it that they do."

The next day there appeared a royal ordinance that ordered that, in the future, ladies under thirty years of age should not drive chaises through the streets of Paris. That seems a mild restriction; but it is said that scarcely a woman from that time on drove her own chaise. The police minister knew that few women would care to advertise the fact that they were over thirty, and that the rest would probably be too old to drive.

### "Bird" Without His Feathers.

An amusing story is being related in London reminiscent of Gallipoli days. It tells of General Birdwood, whose wont it was to move freely about among his troops, often in the heat of the day, clad only in khaki shorts and a shirt, and his coat, with the customary stripes and insignia of his rank, discarded. He was talking one day, with an Australian private who, quite ignorant of the general's identity, was looting casually against the side of a trench, and addressing his commander in chief quite as an equal, much to the dismay of a near-by subaltern. When the general had passed along, this "sub" took it upon himself to enlighten the private of the enormity of his ignorance. At the finish of the junior officer's harangue said the private to the "sub": "Very sorry, sir, but how was I to know he was? Why doesn't he wear his feathers, like any other bird would?"

### Not a Swede.

Alderman Captain is a member of the home guards of the Twenty-fifth ward, says the Chicago Herald. He took Alderman Toman out to see the drill soon after the latter returned from investigating Boston saloons. Toman was put in line and the instructor announced that he would give a lesson in Swedish gymnastics. The younger men went through the drill with ease. Toman began to puff. He finally blurted out: "I'm too old for that sort of stuff."

"How old are you?" inquired the instructor.

"Thirty-eight," commented the instructor.

"The Swedes use this sort of exercise at the age of sixty."

"I'm no Swede; I'm a Bohemian," said Toman as he got out of line.

### British Tommie's Wit.

The British soldier is famous for his humor, and in Malta, recently, he rose to the occasion. The system of horticulture in the island is, of course, almost unique. The ground being mostly plain rock, gardens are formed by importing soil and just laying it out on the hard surface. Thus the smallest possible patches are used as gardens, and are shifted, at will, from place to place, the whole performance being a source of great interest to the British Tommy. "I have seen our soldiers," says one writer, "standing in rows staring in wonder at the busy workers, and once I heard a large corporal bear witness to the effect it had on him. 'Well,' he said, 'after this I reckon I'll keep a cow grazing in the window box, when I get home.'"

### FACTS ABOUT BREAD

White bread was introduced into London by Hugh Paddington nearly a hundred years ago. Japanese bread is shaped somewhat like a stick of bamboo, being sold in strings.

Scandinavian bread is disk shaped, with a hole at the center for packing on poles.

Whole-wheat bread contains the whole grain of wheat—kernel, germ and bran.

The bread of the Balkans is made in chains and is sold according to length.

In the districts of France the peasants make their bread from acorns.

The sun-dried bread of Central Asia is made from flour and raisin sirup.

In Finland bread is frequently made from pine bark and moss.

### SYSTEMS OF FARM CREDITS

Methods Differ in Various Countries, but in All Cases Have Been Found of Great Value.

Four systems of rural credit may fairly be said to epitomize the progress made outside of this country and they afford interesting divergencies and comparisons from the varying nature of national conditions and mental attitude.

Scotch "cash credit" dates back to 1729, when the Royal Bank of Scotland instituted this method of circulating its unlimited issue of bank notes. It consists practically of "overdrafts" up to fixed amounts guaranteed by two signatures. The independent and secretive nature of the Scotch farmer, too proud to confide his business secrets to more people than his banker and his closest friends, makes him peculiarly appreciative of this form of credit. There is no time limit to the transaction and no mortgage is required. The essential feature is that the credit be freely employed and money kept in circulation. The amounts range from \$250 to \$10,000. An account which remains stationary is closed. The system is adapted to a middle class population and not to a poor peasantry. It has been made possible by the widespread chain of branch banks, whose managers are in close personal touch with their clients.

The German co-operative system, the best known branch of which is the Raiffeisen banks, deals with very different problems. It depends for success upon the belief that the credit of a number of people, residing together and uniting to meet a common obligation, is a good guaranty that all will work conscientiously together to meet that obligation.

The outstanding feature of this system is close supervision over each individual by all his fellow members. For this, propinquity and narrow geographical limits are essential. Raiffeisen himself states this last as an axiom. The system is peculiarly adapted to backward communities, where the people are of a low level of intelligence and ignorant of business methods. It has proved highly educative, both morally and economically.

### Barberries in Molasses.

This is a very old-time recipe and berries are seldom so preserved now. Molasses has been so thoroughly refined and the process has so changed its color and flavor that the old-fashioned recipes do not yield the old-fashioned returns. For the benefit of those desiring the recipe it is as follows: Four quarts of berries, two quarts of molasses. Pick the barberries free from the stems and remove imperfect fruit. Place the molasses on the fire in preserving kettle and when it is boiling put in the berries and boil them until they are full and clear. Place in jars and seal. Care should be taken that the preserve is stirred often or the molasses will burn.

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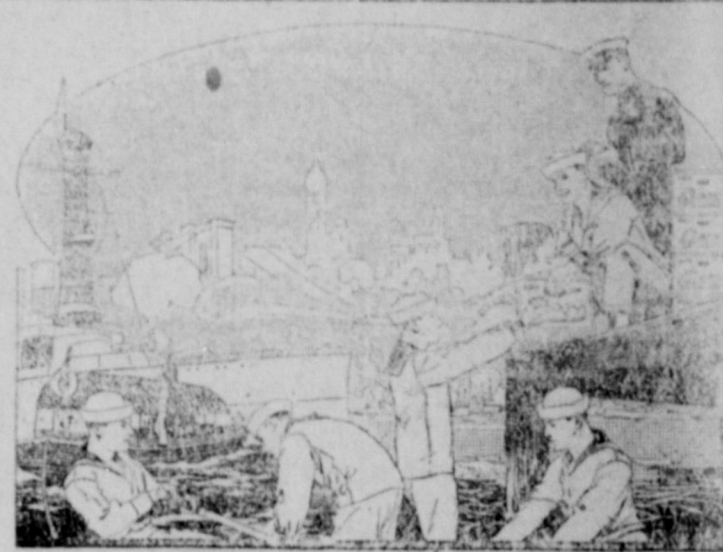
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## His Real Love

Somebody began singing Tosti's "Good-by" and Denny Dubols looked around the club ballroom at the rapt expression on the women's faces. They were certainly sentimental creatures, even the chaperons, old ladies with snow-white hair and diamond collars around their throats to hide the tell-tale traces of the fingers of time, had dreamy, far-away expressions as if they looked back across the years of youth-time and love-time, when all their world was young. Now, men were sensible, he reflected. They lived each day as it came. To be reminiscent about sentimental things was foolish; to stir up vague, half-forgotten dreams was suicidal to contentment. There was Philippa Barton openly wiping her eyes. Everybody knew that she had loved Ben Andrews and had married old Smithson for his hundred thousand a year. Why did she allow herself to think of Ben, wondered Denny, savagely, trying not to pity her.

"Good-by to Summer," sang the mellow young voice of the tenor; "good-by, good-by."

Quite suddenly something in the old melody, like the hand of a magician, drew back the curtain of the years, and Denny saw Jane Hamilton as she had looked on that last night he had seen her. His eyes had a vacant, far-away look, and he leaned forward in his chair as if he were trying to discern the figures in his life's drama, a little more clearly.

"What are we waiting for, oh, my heart,

Kiss me straight on the brow,  
We part!"

He smiled as he thought of his mouth on the fresh young lips of the girl he had loved too well. Ah, how he had loved her!

"Good-by to hope!"

Memory snapped the cord that had lighted once more the days of his youthful love. Bah, he thought! Romance and idle dreams were for the mentally deficient. He would play the game like a true sportsman, with no regrets for the might-have-been issues of life.

He saw the pretty little Davenant girl across the room and started to speak to her. She was evidently watching him, for she was smiling at him in her eager, happy way. Then unexpectedly, he came face to face with Jane Hamilton.

As usual, she was the first to recover herself. He had always taken a certain amount of grim satisfaction in the knowledge that she had loved him and had suffered as much as he did when they parted.

"How are you? Have you this dance with anybody? I can give it to you." She held out a bit of gold-edged paper.

"Of course you will give this dance to me," he heard himself saying against his will. Then with his arm around her, the fragrance of her beauty wafted him back again to heights he had dared to climb but failed to reach. He guided her through a long French window out on a little balcony that overlooked the river, bright as a silver ribbon in the moonlight. It was just there that he had told her he loved her, before time had stretched a weary length of years between them.

"Denny," she said softly, "I have wondered so many times about you, how you were, and if"—her voice broke a little, "if you were happy!"

He turned toward her eagerly. She had remembered, too. "A man must live each day as it comes," he said philosophically, not caring to commit himself. "You are still beautiful," he said, feeling that such homage was due her.

"Have you missed me much?" she whispered, and he found himself resenting the warm touch of her hand on his. In the old days, she had been as elusive as the light on far-away hills. Perhaps she loved him and wanted him to know! "I have been miserable," she volunteered. "Life paid me back for mistreating you, Denny. Of course you have heard that I am free again—the divorce was granted last month."

"Divorce?" Somehow, he could not associate clinging, sweet little Jane Hamilton with the sordid grind of a courtroom and lawyers with their infinite questions of life. "Poor child!" he said quietly.

"I just couldn't stand it. He was so jealous, he watched me all the time. I tried and tried to gain grounds for a suit, but he was clever and outwitted me at every turn. And then, oh, Denny," she sighed audibly, "I made up my mind to give him grounds for divorce—and I succeeded."

"He sued you for divorce?" Denny could not believe it. "On what grounds?" he demanded.

"I don't want to talk about it. Denny, dear," she said, bending so near him that he caught the fragrance of the perfume in her hair. "It was all so hard, but I am free now, free as air."

"On what ground did he sue," persisted Denny.

"There was a lawyer, quite a good friend of mine, and he helped me. We went around together and I appeared to be in love with him so that—oh, you

know how criminal circumstantial evidence can be—"

"Yes," said Denny so quietly that she looked at him intently.

"Be a dear and come to see me soon! I have apartments in the Valencia. Who is the good-looking, big blond in the doorway? Let's stroll over that way. I think that I would like to meet him."

Denny introduced them and fled. So life had done that to little Jane Hamilton! And her image in his heart had kept him—

The little Davenant girl was talking to a young fellow but her eyes were searching the room with a youthfully hopeful look. They came to rest on Denny and she smiled a welcoming smile that might mean anything. The orchestra began Aloha Oe and Denny danced right away with her.

They danced around the room and then, steering her carefully away from that fateful gallery, he led her into a little alcove, screened in with palms and flowers. Her little hand trembled in his. She was childishly happy because he had come back to her. The glow in her eager blue eyes kindled a spark in his heart.

"I love you," he whispered and put into the world-old declaration the fervor of maturity. "Will you marry me, dear?" She shyly consented, all her warm young heart quivering in her lips as she lifted them. "I am going to help Life take care of you," he vowed, with deep conviction. "Oh, little sweetheart, I want to keep you always as you are tonight."—A. Maria Crawford in the Chicago American.

## Sea as Source of Hides.

A representative of the United States Bureau of Fisheries has undertaken the work of bringing about closer co-operation among fishermen, tanners, and manufacturers in the use of skins of aquatic animals in the production of leather. The bureau will lend all possible assistance in the development of this industry. Wilmington, Del.; Newark, N. J.; New York, Boston, and various other points have been visited for the purpose of getting in touch with tanners who are prepared to take hold of this work energetically. As demands for the raw products develop, visits will be made to the fishing centers for the purpose of interesting fishermen to save and market skins.

The bureau of fisheries recently had an opportunity to examine some additional samples of leather tanned from fishskins, which indicate that considerable progress is being made in the tanning of these products.

## Our Real Army.

The Hoosier Limited was speeding northward past many of Indiana's beautiful cornfields. A traveler chanced to be reading a recent editorial in The News on our country's bumper crop, which set forth the importance of this crop in defeating the enemy. By his side sat a little girl, singing in happy, child fashion her own compositions concerning what she saw out of the window. The phrase, "Soldiers straight and tall," caught the traveler's ear and he turned from his paper to see with his companion's eyes.

"Where are the soldiers?" he asked.

"There," said the little one. "I call the corn soldiers and those," pointing to the grain shocks, "are the tents."—Indianapolis News.

## FLASHLIGHTS

The trouble with an imitation is that it merely advertises the worth of the original.

People dress differently, and talk differently, and walk differently, and work differently, but when it comes to wanting the best in life for their wives and children we're all the same.

About the only time some folks tell the truth is when it is disagreeable.

The reason a woman would really like to have everything she wants today is because she knows that the styles would change tomorrow.

## Oatmeal Blanc Mange.

To make oatmeal blanc mange pour a pint of water and a half a teaspoonful of salt into a double boiler. When the water is beginning to boil slowly sprinkle into it a teaspoonful of rolled oats and let it boil for three minutes. Then let it steam for six hours and strain. Add to it a half-pint of scalded milk, sweeten to taste, flavor with vanilla and stir over the fire for a few minutes. Whip up two eggs and add to it, then pour into wet-cold molds and set in a cold place to harden.

## Promotion Slow.

"Your son is in the navy?"

"Yes, but it's slow progress; five years, and still a sub-marine."—Christian Register.

## NITRATE OF LITTLE VALUE

So Far That Found in Western States Cannot Be Worked to Financial Advantage.

In connection with the search for potash and nitrates in the United States the government receives many reports of supposed valuable discoveries. A letter recently received by the United States geological survey of the interior department describes a cave in one of the Southern states which was worked by the Confederacy during the Civil war for potassium nitrate. This cave is said to contain at least 1,000,000 tons of nitrous earth, which, however, contains only 1 or 2 per cent of nitrate. The survey now states that it seems very doubtful whether such material can be profitably used as a source of nitrate salts. The minimum grade of caliche now worked in the Chilean fields contains 12 per cent of sodium nitrate, and though there has been much criticism of the crudeness of the methods employed there, the work is done by very cheap Indian labor, and it is doubtful whether leaner material could be worked to advantage here, where the price of labor is so much higher. Several hundred thousand dollars has recently been expended in one of the Western states in testing the proposition to utilize low-grade nitrate. The results have been negative.

## FATHER OF MODERN LIBERTY

Simon De Montfort Credited With Idea Which Led to the Present Popular Representation.

The commons of England were called to sit in parliament for the first time in 1265, a little more than 650 years ago, and 50 years after King John had been forced by the barons to sign the Magna Charta.

The man responsible for this popular representation was Simon de Montfort, earl of Leicester, who was killed in the battle of Evesham on August 4, 1265, only a few months after he had gained a place in history as the father of the English house of commons. Under his leadership the barons had waged a successful war on King Henry, and had taken the monarch and his son, afterward Edward I, prisoners of war. Leicester, who had laid down the law that the king derives his power from the people and must use it for the public good, governed for a time in the name of the king, and issued the ordinance in 1265, in which each city and town was called upon to "choose and send two discreet, loyal and honest men" to represent them in parliament. Thus was laid the foundation of the house of commons.

## Taking Regular Course.

Thomas Mott Osborne, the "voluntary millionaire convict," said of the food in Auburn prison:

"It is fresh and wholesome. Better than that of some cheap restaurants. Better certainly than the Chat Mort provides.

"The restaurant of the Chat Mort is in the Latin quarter. You get there a rabbit stew for 3 cents and a table d'hote dinner of seven courses, including rabbit pie, is provided for 15 cents—vin compris, that is to say, wine included.

"Well, at the Chat Mort one evening a Wexitan complained:

"Waiter, this here b'iled chicken is no good."

"But the waiter excitedly and volubly replied:

"Oh, impossible, monsieur! The chicken, on the contrary, is very good indeed. On Monday it was roast veal, on Tuesday it was boiled pork, yesterday it was cold chicken and today it is boiled chicken. It will not be bad until tomorrow, monsieur, and then we waiters will eat it."

## How Navy Trains Youth.

The whole service of the United States navy is educational. At the training station recruits get the rudiments of naval training and of technical instruction, which is continued on ship board. "The American navy," says the Secretary of the Navy, "offers as fine an opportunity as exists to the American youth who wishes to win in the race of life. The vast majority of boys in graded and high schools study their geography out of books. The bluejacket studies geography aboard ship and compares the "book learning" with the real thing as he circumnavigates the globe. The school boy at home gets his history out of the books, but the bluejacket may add to his book knowledge a glimpse of the inside of Westminster Abbey, or a sight of the Coliseum at Rome, as he is given leave while on his vessel's cruises around the world. He has the fourfold opportunity of serving his country, learning a trade, improving his mind in study, and travel."

## Amateur Gardener.

A prominent business man of Nashville, answering the call "To plant a garden," set out 150 cabbage plants, which were given to him in the early spring by a farmer friend. The plants received the very best of care, being watered almost every evening and the ground around the plants was kept loose. The plants grew and grew until they caused the "new gardener" to boast to his business friends that he had the nicest "patch" of cabbage in the county. With a little "salt" his friends swallowed his statements, but after today no more will be heard about his big cabbage. They were found to be rape plants and not cabbage.

## War the Leveler.

One of the many results of the war in England is an agitation for the abolition of class distinctions on the railroads and a change to a system similar to that followed in the United States and Canada. It is urged that the new plan would be an economic measure in view of the shortage of coal, as at present the third-class coaches are nearly always overcrowded while the first-class coaches seldom carry more than a few persons. Commercial travelers, who suffer severely from the higher rates now charged on the railroads and from the abolition of the week end tickets, are active in the movement.

## Sour Milk Griddlecakes.

One and one-fourth cupfuls of thick sour milk, two eggs (well beaten), salt, tablespoonful melted butter, one even teaspoonful soda sifted with one and a half cupfuls flour. Sift three times, add a little nutmeg, about one tablespoonful of molasses, or just enough so the cakes will cook nice and brown. Grease griddle with a piece of clear fat pork. Do not make batter too thick, as the tinner the batter the better the cakes. Try one and then you can tell if they are either too thick or too thin. These are fine if made right. They must be eaten at once.

## Lemon in Pie Crust.

When making pie crust or any kind of pastry put in a little lemon juice. This will kill the taste of lard and make the crust exceedingly light and flaky.

## Didn't Get a Chance.

Edith—Did you tell the girls at the tea party that secret I confided to you and Molly?

Dolly—No, Molly got there first.

## Spain May Grow Tobacco.

The Spanish government has appointed a commission to collect data concerning official attempts made in the past to cultivate tobacco in Spain, and has requested Spanish agriculturists to report to the ministry of the treasury details concerning such land as they wish to devote to tobacco growing. As soon as the statistics are available, the commission will determine areas to be devoted to the cultivation of tobacco in Spain, writes Carl Bailey Hurst, Consul at Barcelona, to the Department of Commerce.

## Writing on Handkerchief.

Across the corners of the newest "hankies" a sentence or phrase of embroidered writing may be seen. Maybe it is only a name, the signature of some friend who has been requested to write his name on your handkerchief instead of in your autograph album. Or again it may be your favorite motto, which you think the fashionable world would be better for knowing, so you flaunt it from the corner of your handkerchief instead of working it in cross-stitch and hanging it on the wall. Yes, most of these writing handkerchiefs are embroidered in black or colors on white.

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## SUMMARY OF WORLD'S IMPORTANT EVENTS

AMERICA HAS ENTERED GREAT WAR WITH ALL HER POWERFUL RESOURCES.

### EUROPEAN WAR IN BRIEF

Many Occurrences of Interest and Information Recorded Here in Condensed Form.

#### AMERICA'S PART IN WAR

The American steamer *Wilmore* was sunk by a German submarine Wednesday of last week, the British admiralty announced. The *Wilmore* was a steel screw steamer of 5,129 tons.

The labor situation in shipbuilding plants is giving the shipping board serious concern. A threatened walkout of iron trade workers at San Francisco and strikes at Seattle and New York present the most serious difficulties the board is facing at the moment.

Another chapter of the story of German intrigues in neutral countries and among neutral diplomats was revealed by Secretary Lansing in the form of a letter to the imperial chancellor from the notorious Von Eckhardt, the German minister at Mexico City. It discloses that Folke Cronholm, then Swedish charge in Mexico, was depended upon by the German diplomat to furnish information "from the hostile camp."

The navy has become so overcrowded that Secretary Daniels has ruled that college men can return for this winter's training, though they will be called back to actual service next summer, when more ships and stations will be available. Enlistment for the navy has been halted, because of the number of men on hand who can not be accommodated in ships and stations.

#### DOMESTIC

A million-dollar Christmas for America's fighting men is assured through nation-wide arrangements made by the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A. and Knights of Columbus. Help is needed. The local branch of any of the organizations named will tell how to give aid.

Kansas City's packing town is back at work following an agreement between strikers and employers. The strikers who what they consider a great victory, since their employers agree to allow them to belong to the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America.

"Canada has sent thousands of her sons to the European battlefields. She is going to send thousands more. In my local alone 40 members have been killed at the front. They were all volunteers," said J. E. McEwan of Toronto, delegate to the 13th convention of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen in session at Fort Worth.

The discovery of \$400,000 cached in the hills of Graham county, Arizona, is reported. The discovery was made by Joe Walsey, a cowboy. While hunting stray cattle he found a tree trunk from which the handle of a shovel protruded. Digging disclosed an iron box containing old Spanish gold coins and gold vessels, the intricate working of which is said to bring the value of the find above \$400,000.

Acting Governor Hobby has been asked to submit an amendment to the local option law permitting wholesale drug dealers to sell alcohol for medicinal purposes only.

A permanent army post and training camp, for which the government desires 250,000 acres of land, will be located within 50 miles of Dallas if a suitable site can be found. An army locating board has arrived there from San Antonio, and left to inspect five possible sites.

Capitalized at \$100,000 the Randlett Oil company has been organized by Wichita Falls interests with a tract of land near Randlett, Okla., on which drilling is in progress.

It is announced that the city of Dallas will be required to refund the sum of approximately \$19,444.97 for unused liquor licenses, owing to the city recently voting for prohibition. State and county licenses, which will be refunded, will total more than \$44,000.

Over \$2,000,000,000 was added to the urgent deficiencies bill when the house began work on it. Instead of \$4,810,000,000, the measure will carry close to -\$7,000,000,000.

An election has been ordered to be held at Barstow Oct. 13, for the

three precincts in Ward county, comprising the three precincts traversed by the Texarkana-El Paso highway, for the purpose of voting upon a road bond issue in the sum of \$60,000.

Urguyan marines have boarded all the German ships interned in the harbor at Montevideo, the government having heard of plans to sink the vessels. The crews of the eight German ships were brought ashore and the authorities took charge of the vessels.

Stockholm—Oscar Werlof, first secretary of the Swedish foreign office, has been dismissed from the service.

Italian troops have taken from the Austrians the fortified hill of Dol and the Garagro basin and now occupy the slope and top of Mount San Gabriele, after severe fighting. The Italians embassy in Washington, in announcing the capture, said it is the greatest victory gained by the Italians since their entrance into the war.

Violet hand-to-hand fighting marked French repulse of a formidable offensive blow by the Germans around the casemates plateau (Chemin des Dames) north of the Aisne, official Paris report declares.

An additional statement issued by the Russian war office says: "In the direction of Riga our detachments continue to fight their way forward. In the region of the coast we have occupied the village of Kulliz."

Additional ammunition released by the United States government was received by General Pablo Gonzalez at Nuevo Laredo. The shipment consisted of 140,000 rounds of 7-millimeter cartridges and 133,000 rounds of 33 cartridges.

#### WASHINGTON

Selling liquor to soldiers constitutes treason, according to United States Commissioner Krull. "Unless it is stopped," said Krull "every saloon in San Francisco will be closed by the federal authorities and every saloonkeeper and bartender will be interned."

Secretary McAdoo's statement to the senate finance committee on the war credits bill indicates that the paid newspaper advertising campaign for the next issue of Liberty bonds, advocated by publishers' associations, will not be adopted.

Prompt and drastic steps are to be taken to exterminate the pink bollworm, which has appeared near Hearne, in Robertson county. The federal board of horticulture and the state forces will co-operate in the destruction of cotton in the infected fields.

Within two weeks there will be so much wheat available for flour milling that the big northeastern mills will not be able to handle it all. This is predicted at headquarters in New York of the United States Food Administration Grain corporation.

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